

Minutes
CEBS Curriculum Committee
3:00 p.m., October 3, 2006--Dean's Conference Room

Members Present: Retta Poe, Chair. Melissa Hakman, Bill Kelley, Neresa Minatrea (for Tracy Lara), Terry Wilson, Pitt Derryberry, Sylvia Dietrich, Aaron Kindsvatter, John Moore, Melinda Sowell, Sherry Powers, Steve Haggbloom, Jeanne Fiene, Toby Daniel

Guest: Judy Davison

The first item of business was to approve the minutes of the June 6, 2006 meeting. These minutes were approved as they appeared on the web.

New Business

Department of Curriculum and Instruction

Proposal to Create a New Course – EDU 522, Foundations of Differentiated Instruction—Kelley/Powers motion to approve. Judy Davison was present to present the rationale. After a few editorial revisions were noted, this motion passed.

Proposal to Create a New Course – EDU 524, Educational Assessment—Kelley/Wilson motion to approve. Toby Daniel explained the rationale for this. Some changes were suggested, and the motion passed.

Department of Psychology

It was agreed to address the first two proposals together—Proposal to Reactive a Suspended Course, PSY 365, Intelligence and Creativity, and a Proposal to Delete a Course, PSY 515, Program Evaluation Laboratory. There was a motion made by Haggbloom/Powers for approval of these two proposals and the motion passed.

Next was a Proposal to Create a New Course, PSY 355, Issues in Cross-Cultural Psychology—Haggbloom/Derryberry motion to approve. Steve Haggbloom discussed the rationale. After some edits were mentioned and noted, this motion passed.

Finally, there was a Proposal to Revise a Program-Master of Arts in Psychology—Powers/Wilson motion for approval. Steve Haggbloom presented this proposal and it also passed.

Other Business

Steve Haggbloom was elected to serve as Vice Chair for 2006/2007. There were three reports from the Alternate Admissions Subcommittee. For information only:

The Dean's Office approved a one-time offering for the summer 2006 semester for IECE 591 - Seminar in IECE

The Dean's Office approved one-time offerings for the Fall 2006 semester for the following courses:

LTCY 080 - College Reading Success

EDU 524 - Educational Assessment

IECE 592 - Curriculum/Instruction in Interdisciplinary Early Childhood Education

Discussion of an Exception to College's Alternate Admissions Policy. This is being addressed for those in the Administrative Leadership Institute (ALI) program. Committee members informally agreed that it would be appropriate to make an exception to the College's alternate admission policy for applicants recommended by the ALI. After some discussion, it was agreed that Pitt Derryberry would work on a draft of a motion to be made, and this matter will come back as Old Business on the agenda of the November meeting.

Last item of Other Business was the appointment of an ad hoc subcommittee to draft criteria and process for selecting the recipient of the CEBS Outstanding Graduate Student Award in the spring. Appointed to serve on this subcommittee were Aaron Kindsvatter, Sherry Powers, Pitt Derryberry, and Toby Daniel. A student member may be appointed later. The subcommittee was asked to have a draft completed by the December meeting.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned at 4:10.

Susan Krisher, Committee Secretary

